

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:           Anders (nmi) Vinberg  
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Art Unit:                    2152  
Examiner:                   Philip C. Lee  
Confirmation No.:           8007  
Title:                        METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GENERATING AND  
                                  RECOGNIZING SPEECH AS A USER INTERFACE  
                                  ELEMENT IN SYSTEMS AND NETWORK  
                                  MANAGEMENT

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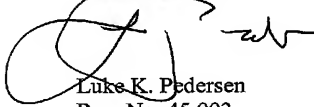
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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	A	5,408,218	04/18/1995	Svedberg, et al.	340	507	03/19/1993
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	K	WO 95/27249	10/12/1995	PCT	G06F	11/00		
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